Washington Items.

COAL CONTRACT AWARDED.—The Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repairs, of May 26, 1859, having advertised for contracts to furnish authracite coal for the Navy, the lowest, has been accepted, and the contract awarded to him.

ECONOMIZING ROUTE AGENCIES.—The Post Office Department have determined to dispense with the services of twelve express route agents (each of whom receive a salary of \$1,000 a year) between New York and Cincinnati, and to allow the baggage masters ten dollars a month each for the duty of delivering and receiving the through mail.

THE PRESIDENT'S MOVEMENTS .-- The Presdent left the city this (Saturday) morning for his summer residence at the Old Soldiers Home. On Monday, the 18th instant, he proposes setting out for Bedford Springs, where he will stay two weeks. He will be accompanied by his niece, Miss Lane, Secretary and Mrs. Floyd, and probably Mrs. Secretary Thompson.

APPOINTMENTS .- Wm. T. Presson has been appointed, by the President, a Collector of the Customs at Yorktown, Va., vice Wm. H. Curtiss, jr., resigned.

John S. Halliburton has been appointed U. S. Marshal for the eastern district of Arkansas vice Samuel N. Warner declined. LAND WARRANTS .- The whole number of land warrants issued at the Pension Office during the month of June was as follows: Under the act of 1855, of 160 acres, 513; of 120 acres, 71; of 80 acres, 34. Under the act of 1850, one 160-acre warrant was issued, making the total number of warrants for the month 619. - Washington Star.

In Washington, yesterday morning, Dr. ALEX-ANDER J. WEDDERBURN, in the 48th year of his age, after a long illness. Dr. Wedderburn was a native of this place. He graduated in Philadelphia with distinction, and after commencing the practice of his profession here, received a commission as Assistant Surgeon in the Navy of the United States. After several years service, he re-signed his commission and settled in New Orleans, where his skill and devotion to his profession soon secured him a large practice, and eminence as a physician and surgeon. Upon the establishment of the Medical College in New Orleans, he was appointed Professor of Anatomy in that institu-tion, which office he filled for several years. To the building up of this College, he devoted his orts, and the best years of his life,-He visited Europe twice, and collected there for the College, one of the best anatomical museums in the United States. His failing health, however, compelled him to relinquish the active duties incident to his profession, and he has for the last few

years lived in retirement.

Dr. W. had many excellent traits of character, which endeared him to his friends and acquaintances. Many of our citizens will remember him, with sincere regret for his loss. He leaves a wife and two children, to whom he was fondly attached, and who will be heavily afflicted by this dis pensation of Providence.

In Middleburg, Loudoun County, Va., on Saturday, the 2nd July, CORNELIUS S. TAYLOR, in the 27th year of his age.

When the young man, just entering on the active

scenes of life, is called away, it is always mournful and distressing; but in this case, it is peculiarly so. Reared among us, and trained to business habits, he had, by a life of singular urbanity of manners, unbending integrity, and devotion to his Christian duties, won the confidence and esteem of all who knew him.

Some four months ago, he formed a mercantile connexion here, and was engaged in the prosecution of that pursuit, with bright prospects of success, and of usefulness to his country-To a high order of business talent, he united a fine taste for Literature, and by the application of his leisure hours to reading and study, made himself one of \$50,187 in cigars: \$22,113 in coal: \$251,268 in the best informed men of his age, in our community. He had made the Bible his companion from early youth, and was remarkable for his acquain- 721 in box and bag do: \$133.877 in wool, and tance with its sacred pages-and having united \$9,542 in waste. with the Methodist E. Church, some years ago, he has lived one of its most consistent and active

days without a murmur, and he gave to his friends the assurance, that he was "going to a better land," and would "soon be with his Saviour."

Thus has passed from earth, one of our most valued citizens -- the devoted son and brother--- the faithful and ever sympathising friend-the man of high business qualifications, and above all the humble and pious Christian. While we mourn for our loss, may his bright example be profitable to those who survive him. Middleburg, July 2.

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#### MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-JULY 5.

ARRIVED. Brig Isane Carver, Carver, Richmond, to D. B. Schr. Francis A. Hawkins, Percival, Norfolk, to

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Schr. Arnon, Crosby, Eastport, to Master. Propeller J. Jerome, Jerome, Philadelphia, to

Shinu. Propeller S. Seymour, Leverton, Philadelphia to Wm. H. Fowle & Son. Steamer Columbia, Harper, Baltimore, to Wheat

SAILED. Schr. Sparkling Sea, Farris, Bangor, by D. B.

Schr. J. H. Jones, Fisher, Norfolk, by T. J. Me-Sehr. Ship Carpenter, Fountain, Albany, by T. J. Mehaffey.

Brig Hannah, Balch, Matthews, from Eastport, for this port, arrived at Newport, 29th ult.

Schr. Minerva, Hall, for Georgetown, D. C., cl'd

at Portland, 30th ult. Schrs. Iram Smith. McGivern, and John Forsyth, Holmes, from this port, arrived at Fall Riv-28th ult.; M. C. Durfee, Hall, for this port, sailed from do , 30th ult. Schr. Ingomar, Chase, for this port, sailed from

Providence, 30th ult. Schrs. Tiger, Evans, from this port, for Saco, sailed from Holmes' Hole, 30th ult.; Frederick Sheerer, Sheerer, from Boston, for Washington, D. C., arrived at do., 28th ult.

NOTICE.—THE YOUNG CATHOLICS at 10 o'clock, in procession, and accompany his FRIEND SOCIETY, of Alexandria, take pleasure in announcing to their friends, and the public generally, that they will give a PIC-NIC ARLINGTON SPRINGS, on MONDAY, July 18th, the proceeds to be appropriated to the liqui-dation of the debt on the Society's new Hall. Par-

jy 6--eo3t THE UNDERSIGNED having discontinued the TOBACCO and SEGAR BUSINESS recently carried on by her at the N. E. corner of King and St. Asaph streets, respectfully recommend her successor CHARLES EDGAR HUN-TER who, will continue the business at the old

stand, to her friends and the public generally.

jy 6—colm MARGARET HUNTER. STRAYED OR STOLEN from the Commons of this city a large light DUN COW, nearly white, about six years old—also about a year ago, a RED COW, about seven years old-no marks recollected

return of either, or both, or such information as may lead to their recovery. Apply at the Gazette to Mrs. HARRIET LLOYD, Washington street, WHITE LEAD.—Lewis' Pure Continental FOR RENT.—The DWELLING on Alfred Lead: New York, Richmond, Saugerties, street, heretofore occupied by Mr. James P.

Excelsior do.; and Zinc Lead, received and for Smith, to whom application can be made, for [jy 6] H. COOK & CO. DATENT GLOBE COFFEE ROASTER, for Stoves and Fire Places. They are the best and cheapest in use. Call and see them, at jy 6 H. I. GREGORY'S, 118 and 120 King-st,

It will be seen that the Balloon from St. son co., N. Y., on Saturday last, having left St. Louis on Friday evening. This, for the first and experimental trip of such a character, is a large number of oners were received. The bid of Mr. Horace E. Browne, of Baltimore, a highly successful result. We shall, probable a great success. I certainly have never seen great brilliancy, and there was a fine breeze. now to some practical purpose.

The Fourth of July was celebrated at the Penitentiary of the District of Columbia by the convicts there. An oration was delivered, &c. This is certainly a singular proceeding. The Warden of the Penitentiary, however, thinks it will have a good effect upon the future conduct of the prisoners.

enthusiasm in Petersburg, Staunton, Lynch- ey, esq., then engaged the attention of the burg, Norfolk, and various other cities and audience for an hour, with a splendid oration towns in Virginia.

# COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE, July 5 .- Flour has declined 25 to 50c.; choice Ohio \$6(a.6.25. Wheat closed dull; quiet at 27 lc.

New York, July 5 .- Flour has advanced be State \$5.50(a.\$5.90; Ohio \$6.25(a.\$6.75; Southern \$6,3064.6.75. Wheat closed quiet and generally unchanged; Southern white 174 or 182c. Corn closed firm but dull; mixed 86(a, 864c. Park closed dull; mess \$15.87; prime \$12.50. Land closed heavy at 1166113c. Whiskey closed steady at 261c. Stocks are variable; Va. 6's 947. Sterling Exchange is firm at 1101 to 1105.

IMPORTATIONS.—It will be seen by reference to our Commercial report below, that the Imports of foreign goods, last week, at New York, were nearly double what they were the same week in 1857, cupied by gentlemen who are not only sucand two and 2-half times as much as in 1858. It would almost seem to be fortunate for the country that there is but one such city as New York. If there were many more of such places, for the introduction of all sorts of autocosmicy foreign importations, we should be soon used up. Extravagance commences there. We have from that source Light House Board to the collector of the heavy importations, bursts up, and tom foolery customs at Boston. This oil was contracted

generally: past week, both in dry goods and general merchandise, the total being one of the largest ever shown in a single week. We annex a comparative sam-

FOREIGN IMPORTS AT NEW YORK. For the week. 1857, 1858, 1859, Dry Goods. 800,248 \$1,000,756 \$5,111,433 General merchatolise 3,252,660 1,650,021 3,774,678

Total for the week | \$5.984.914 | \$2.655.777 | \$6.886.01 Previously rep. | 110.600.552 | 5.871.360 | 120.100.73 Included in the imports for the week, are \$39,195

in earthenware: \$17,456 in china; \$19,861 in glass plate; \$14,958 in acids; \$13,140 in cream tarta-\$13,416 in gum arabic; \$40,969 in indigo: \$15,143 in mudder: \$17,476 in essential oils: \$40,286 in paints: \$26,108 in soda ash; \$86,280 in fors: \$20,-052 in lemons; \$19,923 in oranges; \$33,296 in nut-\$22,492 in watches and jewelry; \$63,596 in dressed and \$233,685 in undressed hides; \$73,460 in brandy; \$13,804 in gin; \$19,923 in wines; \$201,350 in chains and anchors: \$197,338 in copper: \$35,865 in cutlery: \$32,820 in hardware: \$25,117 in sheet iron; \$83,198 in bar do.: \$32,027 in lead; \$15,440 in metal goods; \$11,076 in steel; \$16,089 in saltpetre; \$153,902 in box tin; \$11,561 in plate do.; \$26,661 in cassia: \$16,410 in books: \$11,473 in paper: \$13,230 in Brazil wood: \$10,379 in buttons:

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ters, Campbell & Co., No. 50 Wall street, N. York. Georgetown Cattle Market, July 5.

The offerings of beef cattle at the drove yards yesterday, amounted to only 160 head, 120 of which were purchased by District butchets at \$4(a \$4.75 on the hoof, equal to \$8(a \$9.50 net. The remaining 40 were driven on to Baltimore. There was a large supply of old sheep and lambs offered, and sold at 36,33c. 11 fb. for the former, and \$24c. \$2.75 per head for the latter.

GEORGETOWN FLOUR INSPECTION.-Mr. George Shoemaker again furnishes the following statistics Inspections for April last, barrels, 12,169; balf Varrels, 410, May, 8,850 Total, 29,795 barrels, and 1,267 haif barrels. The work of the year ending 30th of June, is as fol-

Branded.	30th	September, '58,	52,255	2,057
		December.	83,866	6,222
**	31st	March, 59,	24,163	3,425
**	30th	June, '59,	29,795	1.267
			190,179	12,971
			6.4854	

Total Barrels. 196 6611

At a called meeting of the "Middleburg Lyceum," on Saturday evening, the 2nd of July, 1859, E. C. Brock was called to the Chair, and S. H. BAKER, was appointed Secretary; whereupon the following resolutions were unanimously mion-

Whereas, it has pleased an All wise God to call from our midst our much loved and respected friend and fellow citizen, Consulus S. Taylog: therefore be it

Resolved, 1st. That in his death the Middleburg Lyceum has lost one of its most gifted and respected members, and the community in which he resided, one of its most respected, esteemed, and beloved citizens, and one whose death has east a gloom over those with whom he associated, and among whom he has resided, which the lapse of time alone can dispel.

Resolved, 2nd. That the members of the Lyceum do attend his funeral to morrow morning,

Resolved, 3rd. That the members of the Lyceam wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days. Resolved, 4th. That the Secretary of the meeting transmit a copy of these resolutions to his bereaved parents, as a testimonial of the high respect ticulars in a future advertisement. Don't forget in which he was held by the members of the Middieburg Lycenm, and the community in which he resided; and that he send a copy to each of the papers published in the cities of Alexandria, Warrenton, and Leesburg, with a request that they E. C. BROUN, Chairman, publish the same.

S. H. BAKER, Secretary. zer LADIES' FAIR .-- A Fair for the benefit of "IMMANUEL CHURCH," Piedmont Parish, will be held at Piedmont Station, Manassas Gap Railroad, on the 14th, 15th, and 16th days of July. All disposed to prove themselves "friends in need" are jy 2-coSt

respectfully invited. THE BRICK HOUSE, in "Lloyd's Row," lately occupied by Dr. Tolson, has been thoroughly repaired, and is now for rent. Apply

RICHARDS C. SMITH. terms, &c. je 18-eotf Executor of H. C. Smith, dec'd. PLAISTER, -200 tons Soft Blue WINDSOR | PLAISTER, for sale by | J. N. HARPER & CO.

jy 4 35 BBLS, Jos. S. Lovering's Standard Crushed, GOUT AND RHEUMATISM.—Reynold's Consultated and Powdered Sugar, received Specific, the Great English Remedy, for sale this day, and for sale by

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J. E. DOUGLASS.

LINSEED OIL.—A full supply received and for sale by

[jy 6] H. COOK & CO.

WHITCOME'S REMEDY FOR ASTHMA—

A full supply received and for sale by

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### BY YESTERDAY EVENING'S MAIL.

bid of Mr. Horace E. Browne, of Database Bly, have more balloon excursions, directed a more elegant affair of the sort, and doubt if There being no city celebration, advantage The Fourth of July was celebrated with the Day, Henry Shackelford, esq. J. H. La-parties repaired to shady places and cool interval of half an hour, mostly devoted to such a day, was a delightful recreation. the appetising refreshments so abundantly provided, about three hundred gentlemen sat down to a sumptuous dinner.

I understand that the committee of arwhite 160 (a 175c.; red 150c. Corn closed firm: rangements had estimated for 150 persons, white and yellow 82(a Sie. Provisions closed but to have room for all that might come they dull; bacon sides 91c.; mess pork \$17. Whiskey procured seats for two hundred. When the company was seated it was found that accommodation for an additional hundred was required. All was now arranged and every one provided for. After dinner, champagne, toasts, and speeches, held us together until the shades of evening. The speeches abounded in wit and eloquence. Among the speakers were J. S. Pendleton, J. F. Strother, H. W. Thomas, W. Douglas Wallach, and other

It was eight o'clock in the evening when the company finally separated. It was an were fortunate enough to be present. The country around Brandy is one of the most beautiful and fertile in the State. It is occessful farmers but liberal gentlemen A GUEST.

A Good Contract. A draft for \$48,700, to pay for 40,000 gallons of sperm oil recent ly received from the contractor at Edgarton. Mass., was not long since transmitted by the for in August last at the rate of \$1.214 per and shops all closed. "The imports have been very large during the gallon. The present price is \$1.30. A saving of \$3,300 has thus been effected to the Government. We are glad to be able to state that Dr. Fisher, well-known as one of the largest oil dealers in New England, does not lose by the contract, as he had previously purchased at a less rate, -- Wash, Star.

STATIONERS CONTRACTS AWARDED.-The contracts for supplying the Interior Department with stationery during the next fiscal year have been awarded to the lowest bidders,

Blanchard & Mohun, of this city-paper, pencils, ink, inkstands, wafers and wax, cutery, and miscellaneous articles. Franklin Philp-envelopes to be printed

or engraved to order, and pens. Taylor & Maury-pareliment and pareliment paper, Wash. Star.

THE WONDER OF THE AGE!-THE IL-LUMINATED QUADRUPLE CONSTEL for sale at FRENCH'S Book and Periodical De-

This mammoth paper is 100 inches in length and 70 m width, contains as much matter as fifteen opies of the New York Ledger, or six copies of Harper's Monthly Magazine, Is printed only once in a hundred years. It is the largest sheet of paper ever made and printed. It contains splendid portraits of the celebrated men of the day. But time and space are wanting to tell of half which this wonderful paper contains. It must be seen to be appreciated, price 50c,

Le Bon Ton for July, is a beautiful number Ledger, Weekly, Mercury, Leslie, Harper's Week-

I UBIN'S EXTRACTS, Benzole Acid, Ex-Little's White Oil, Lyon's Magnetic Powder, Holloway's Pills, Norwood's Tincture, Assafoctida. Oil Bergamot, Oil Lemon, Olive Oil, Castile Soap White Wax, Cardamon Seed, Court Plaster, and Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, received per Sehr. Arctic, and for sale by J. LEADBEATER & SON.,

Stabler's Old Stand. EXPRESS STEAM LINE FOR EXPRESS STEAM LINE FOR PHILADELPHIA AND NEW YORK.

The Propeller S. SEYMOUR, Capt. Leverton eave Xo. 4. South Wharves, on THURS-NEXT, 7th instant, at 6, P. M. WM. H. FOWLE & SON. No. 4, South Wharves

STEAM TUG AND CANAL BOATS FOR SALE. We have FOR SALE an excellent in length, 7 feet hold, substantially built, and of great power. Her Engines and Boilers are in first rate order. She is capable of carrying 6,000 bush. f Grain under deck, drawing 6 feet of water. good order. They carry about 125 tons each, on

We are authorized to sell the above much below their cost, and on very easy terms, and would invite the attention of parties interested in Canal navigation to the great bargains here offered, ie 27-tf FOWLE & CO.

WOOL AND SUMAC WANTED. THE subscribers wish to purchase WOOL of the different grades, for which they will pay the

ghest cash price. We also wish to purchase 500 tons prime SU MAC. With increased facilities for manufacturing the article, we are enabled to give the very highest price. Country storekeepers who deal in the article will do well to communicate with RAMSBURG & EBERT. Georgetown D. C., je 18—w2m

ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY

OTICE.—The President and Directors of the ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY have declared a semi annual dividend of 3 per cent, payable to the Stockholders, on and after the 15th of July, at the office of the Treasurer. EDWARD S. HOUGH,

CHOICE FAMILY HAMS SUGAR CURED. I ST RECEIVED, a few tierces of McKehan A Evan's FAMILY HAMS.

These Hams are warranted equal, if not superior any ever offered in this market.

To be had at my Stall, in the Market, every morning, during market hours, or at my Dwelling, street, at any time (Sundays excepted.) Price Li cents per ib. JOHN P. EMERSON.

THE U.S. MAIL STAGE TO day in a pleasant manner, and eturned UPPERVILLE, MIDDLEBURG, AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS, will leave about six o'clock. The reader and oator are THE U.S. MAIL STAGE TO Green's Mansion House every Tuesday, Thursday, both members of the school, and ther efforts and Saturday, at 7½ A. M. Leave Upperville both members of the school, and ther efforts every Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 4 A. M. are highly spoken of by those who heard and Middleburg at 63 A. M. je 30—cott HUGH LATHAM, Proprietor.

WANTED TO HIRE, for the remainder of the year, a SERVANT BOY, who is honest, and can do house work. Apply at this Office.

BOSTON ICE, I am prepared to fill orders, or M. ELDRIDGE, Union Wharf, make room for Fall Stock.

RING, just received in store, and for sale by JOHN A. DIXON. A LEWIVES.—Just received 100 bbls. new St.
John's Alewives, very prime, for sale by
M. ELDRIDGE. jy 2

SEGARS.—12,000 "Wide Awake," for sale by WM. II. FOWLE 4 SOV WOOL purchased by DANIEL F. HOOE.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Louis, for the Atlantic Coast, reached Jeffer- Colebration of the Fourth at Brandy Station. FOURTH OF JULY.—The "Fourth" was one Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette. of the most delightful days ever experienced. BRANDY STATION, Culpeper Co., Va., July It was, if anything, a little too cool; but the 5.—The celebration of the Fourth here was sky was cloudless, the sun shone out with there has been such a one in this part of Vir- was taken of the occasion for parties of ginia, for many years. At an early hour in pleasure, and our citizens, for the most part, the day, the people began to assemble in a made "excursions." The steamboats, small fine grove on the farm of Dr. C. R. Harris, vessels, and row boats, were in requisition commanding a full view of the beautiful es- all day, and the Potomac presexted a gay tate of Col. Wm. B. Ross. Soon after the and lively appearance from sunrise to sunset. arrival of the down train, the people were in- Large numbers went to Fort Washington vited to the stand, where the Declaration of and Glymont, and spent the day at those Independence was read by the President of places, whilst numerous fishing and other springs on the banks of the river, a few miles below town, and enjoyed themselves at these ceived with continued applause. After an pleasant retreats. A sail on the river, on

> Quite a number, too, went up the railroad to attend the celebration at Brandy Station, in Culpeper county. The Musical Verrien paid a visit to Port Tobacco, Md., and assisted in the celebration there. The day was celebrated at Arlington Spring, Analoston Island, and Roach's Spring.

The morning was ushered in by the ringing of bells, and all the vessels in port had their flags displayed. We regret that no national salute was fired here. At night, fire-works were exhibited on the

square south of the President's House. An immense concourse of people assembled to witness these, and amongst them a very large occasion long to be remembered by those who deputation from this place, the Washington and Alexandria Railroad sending extra trains of cars in the evening and at night for the

elsewhere) the day passed off quietly and with much order and good feeling. Business was entirely suspended, and the stores day and Sunday morning. It is very rarely

THE CANAL. - The break in the Chesaneake and Ohio Canal, a short distance below the Great Falls, has been repaired, and it is expected that boats, a large number having accumulated above the break, will arrive here to day or to-morrow. The reccipts of Coal by the Canal thus far, this season, have been very large, in excess, we believe, of any previous year, for the same length of time. There is an immense amount of Coal accumulated at the wharves of the different Companies here and in Georgetown, and the orders from the Eastern cities are numerous, and the shipments are only limited by the want of vessels for transportation, though within the past few days the number of arrivals has increased. Grace Church, where they had a Festival, LATION! -THE MASTODON OF PAPERS! and there are now quite a number of vessels and spent several hours in the morning in a at the wharves taking in cargoes,

CHANGE OF TIME. - The trains on the Orange and Alexandria and Manassas Gap Railroads have changed their hours of departure. These will be, until further notice, at 7 o'clock in the morning and 71 in the even- Tatsapaugh, on Prince street, was entered on the times for leaving Washington for Baltitract Laguerice, Gum Opina, Oil Peppermit, Reined Camphor, Tamarinds, Seap Powder, Gargiand a quarter past six in the afternoon, evelock draw was found. Nothing else was missed. ling Oil, Will's Plasters, Arnica, do., Poor Man's ry day but Sundays, which has but one Broun's Troches, Mustang Liniment, Pennyroyal, train, viz: at twenty minutes past three o'-DISTURBANCE.-On Monday evening, the Glymont, where she had been on an excur-

steamer Mount Vernon, on her return from sion with a large number of persons, was the scene of quite a riot between some parties from Washington and this city. We learn The annual Excursion of the FIRST PRESBYfrom persons on the boat that as the steamer TERIAN SABBATH SCHOOL, will take place came up the river some of the Alexandrians were treated very badly, and several fights occurred between residents of both cities; and when she reached her wharf here, between 6 and 7 o'clock, many of the Washingtonians collected about the gangway, and made an attack on some from this city as ternoon, leaving Alexandria, at 4 o'clock—tickets 20 cents. Returning, leave Glymont at a quarter deck, drawing 6 feet of water.
We have, also, SEVEN first class—they landed, when a general fight took place, before seven. We have, also, SEVEN first class they familed, who were fired by the during which pistol shots were fired by the belligerents on the boat, who afterwards came ashore and followed the Alexandrians to Union street, from whence they were driven back by the latter to the boat. Several persons from this place were for safety obliged to remain on the steamer and go to Washington. During the disturbance, we are told that a lady on the boat received a severe cut on the head, the pilot was injured, several other persons were severely hurt by stones, &c., and the boat was damaged.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PIC NIC.—The scholars of the Village Sabbath School, of this place, had a very pleasant pic nic and celebration in a beautiful woods about a mile from Hunting Creek bridge, in Fairfax county, on Monday. At nine o'clock a very large and agree-Treasurer, able party had collected there, and after all were rested, the scholars were called together and sang a hymn; after which the Declaration of Independence was read by Americus Davis, and an oration delivered by Samuel H. Atwell. The regular exercises were concluded by a beautiful duett, the Gipsey Countess, sung by two of the scholars; and the company spent the remainer of the

EJECTMENT. -On Monday night list, be tween 9 and 10 o'clocks a stranger asened the front door of a dwelling house, onKing street, and walked in. He was met is he CE.-Having received the agency for the sale of was getting into the parlor, and turnecout, with a kicking, being unable to give any reason for his conduct, or to explain wir he are of no use to any one. I will give \$4 for the re-BONNETS, of every description, will be sold at reason for his conduct, or to explain wir he made so free with other people's premises. He was apparently sober, and had mad an effort to enter another house before he ame BOXES large and small Smoked HERinto the one from which he was ejected.

> PROMOTION.-Lieut. Bushrod W. Frole! noting master of the United States steamer Harriet Lane, has been promoted to be rank of Second Lieutenant in the U. S. R. Marines, for meritorious conduct luring the late Paraguay expedition.

County Court.-The July quarterly term of the County Court, Turner Dixon, presiding, commenced on Monday, but the Court without transacting any business adjourned until vesterday, when the Grand Jury were cm-

pannelled, indicted Rosanna Harper for selling liquor without license and were adjoured until to-day. Dr. C. W. Chancellor qualified as coroner, by taking the usual oaths &c. A licence to keep an ordinary was granted

to James W. Shiles. An account of the Jailor of \$148.80 was allowed. Peter Coxen and Albert Wools charged with knocking down and robbing Reuben

and discharged. A nolle prosequi was entered in the case of Lucas Allen charged with an attempt to fire the stable of Mr. Beni, Waters, a few weeks since. The court adjourned until this

morning at 10 o'clock.

CLERICAL.-Rev. S. M. Shute, on Sunday morning last, preached his farewell sermon to the congregation of the Baptist Church. of which he has been the faithful pastor for some years, he having received the appoint ment of a Professorship in Columbian College, Washington. His removal from our midst will be much regretted by our citi zens, though his recent position in the church will be filled by an able minister in the person of Rev. Mr. Bittings, who is to succeed him, and who is highly spoken of as a gentleman of talents and piety.

THE WESTHER, on Sunday night, turned very cool, and on Monday and yesterday fires would not have been uncomfortable in the early morning and at night. A heavy accommodation of the public. The five-works | cloud rose in the Southwest, on Sunday afwere really splendid, and gave much satisternoon, and we had here a slight shower, but the cloud wore round to the North and We saw and heard of but little if any in- Northeast, and there were probably heavy toxication, and with one exception (noticed rains, if not hail, in that quarter in the adjacent country. The change in the weather was sudden from the extreme, heat of Saturthe case that we have such a "cool spell" in the month of July.

TRAVEL .- There has been a very consider able increase in the travel over the railroads leading to this city, within a week or two past, and in order to facilitate the transportation of the passengers, the cars of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, instead of stop ping at the depot, now run through to the intersection of Union and King streets, a very short distance from the wharf of the steamer George Page, on which boat the passengers going North are taken to Washing-

GRACE CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL .-- The scholars attached to Grace Church Sunday School, assembled on the Fourth of July, in most agreeable manner. After some beautiful singing, the Rector of the church, Rev. D. F. Sprigg, delivered to the children a short but appropriate address.

Roberty.-The confectionery store of Mr. ing daily, arriving here at 2 P. M. and 3 Monday morning, about eleven o'clock, by A. M. On the Washington Branch Railroad some daring thief, who took the money draw from behind the counter, robbed it of its ly, and everything else in my line, on hand and more will be at twenty minutes of five and tents and left unobserved. Though the proten minutes of seven o'clock in the morning. prietor was sitting in the next room, he did and at twenty minutes past three o'clock not know anything of it until the empty

> HUNGARIAN GRASS,-Mr. John Stephenson left at this office vesterday, a fine specimen of Hungarian Grass, grown on a lot adjoining the Poors' House. The growth is very luxuriant, and there will be made probably three or four tons to the acre. The grass seed was proved the commission of the purpose of conducting a valids and Families can be accommodated earlier or four tons to the acre. The grass seed was proved the CASH SYSTEM and have a family and a talegraph of the within 23 sown about the first of May. FOR GLYMONT

GLYMONT. on Thursday next, July 7th, to GLYMONT.

The Steamer THOMAS COLLYER The Steamer THOMAS COLLYER has been engaged for the occasion, and will leave her wharf, toot of King street, at 8 oclock, A. M., punctually. Tickets 25 cents; children half price—to be had at the stores of Rober Bell, Wm. A. Hart, and at the Boat on the morn to be had at the stores of Robert ing of the Excursion.

N. B. The Boat will also make a trip in the af-

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FAMILY SEWING MACHINES. PRICES FROM \$50 TO \$125 HEMMERS \$5 EXTRA. CHINE COMPANY have greatly increased their facilities for manufacturing their celebrated Family Machines. It is no longer questioned that these Machines are the best in use for Family sewing. Is there a husband, father, or brother in the United States, who will permit the drudgery of hand sewing in his family, when a Grover & Baker Machine will do it better, more expeditionsly, and cheaper, than it can possibly be done by

EDWARD S. LEADBEATER, je 23 – colm

LARGE AND SELECT STOCK OF BOOTS and SHOES, at Greatly Reduced Prices.

HE undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that from and after the first of July to the first of September he will

offer his entire stock of heavy goods at PRIME COST FOR CASH: and his large and select stock of Boots, Shoes, Gai ers, &c., suitable for the season, at greatly reduced rates for each, and each only. All goods charged will be at the regular rates.

is my object is money. HARMON BURNS. 405 Penn, avenue, between 44 and 6th sts., a few doors east of National Hotel. Washington, je 29-eo2w

DROPOSALS WANTED, Tenders will be received until Thursday next, 7th instant, for eting TRESTLE WORK, on the Coal Wharf, capied by the Borden, Frostburg, and Alleghe Mining Companies. Plans may be seen, and nformation given, by calling at the office of the Borden Mining Company, on the premises, jy 4—dtd JOHN B. MASTERS, Agent.

WANTED. - SITUATIONS WANTED BY TWO YOUNG LADIES, as TEACHERS. either in an Institute or family—the one to give instruction in Piano and Organ music, the other in French, German, higher English, Painting, Drawing, Ornamentals, and Latin to beginners .-References given if required. Address L. P., Salisbury, Litchfield county, Conn. jy 4-w3w\* OST-On the 16th instant, between Alexan-II dria and tinte No. 7, Little River Turnpike

ing \$30 in Bank bills, and receipts to bills which turn of the book and contents to be left with any of the gate-keepers on the road. L. HOSPITAL. REFRIGERATORS CHEAP.—In order to make room for my FALL GOODS, I will sell the balance of my stock of UPRIGHT and HORI-

lead, a LEATHER POCKET BOOK, contain-

ZONTAL REFRIGERATORS, at greatly reduced prices, you exen. A call is solicited. H. I. GREGORY, 118 & 120, King street. DECEIVED an assortment of very handsome To new style DRILLINGS. Also, fine ALPAC CA and LINEN COATS—very low for cash.



# BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH. The Fourth in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—There was no public celebration, although early in the morning there was a parade of the military. The usual annual Democratic meeting took place in Independence Square. In the evening there were innumerable displays of fireworks, on private account—the juveniles, as Raines on the 18th June last, were examined usual, sharing largely in the pyrotechnic dis. Mountains. plays. A great number of fires occurred, in the 1st of September. The residue in two equal onsequence of the proceedings. The firemen were kept busy, but by the aid of the steam fire engines the flames were suppressed without serious damage. The weather was delightful.

#### Fourth of July in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, July 5 .- No disturbance or rioting disgraced the anniversary of American independence. There were however, numerous fires, caused by the ignition of fire works. In one case, fifteen small dwellings were consumed; the tenants were all absent from the city. The new fire alarm and telegraph, together with the steam fire department, were kept busy. These operated with great advantage.

## The Stephens Ovation.

Augusta, Ga., July 3 .- The Stephens vation vesterday was a brilliant and great affair. Mr. Stephens made a two-hour speech. He regarded the long-continued slavery agitation as resulting beneficially to the rights of the South. He favored the annexation or acquisition of Cuba, advocated the repeal or uspension of the neutrality laws, and repudiated the idea of more slave States unless the title to be retained till bonds are paid. the number of slaves should be greatly increased; upon which latter point he carnest-

#### Cotton Ship Burnt at Sea. NEW YORK, July 5. - The ship Stalwart,

owned here, but on a voyage from New Orleans to Liverpool with 2,800 bales of cotton, crew have arrived at Queenstown. The ship was fully insured in New York, Philadelphia, and New York, Philadelphia, was totally burnt at sea. The captain and and New Orleans.

### Arrival of the Quaker City.

New York, July 5 .- The steamer Quaker City has arrived at this port, bringing Havana dates to the 30th of June. There was no general news of importance. Sugar was advancing. The steamer Commerce was to leave for Philadelphia on the 1st inst.

member of the last Congress from the 4th dis-

#### Death of M. C. from Virginia. Petersburg, July 5.—Hon, W. O. Goode,

triet, died of consumption on Sunday morning, near Boydtown, in this State. Obituary. Bosrox, July 4.—The wife of Hon, Edward Everett died here on Saturday night. NOTICE. - The Co-partnership heretofore exist-

N ing between the undersigned, under the name of PERRY & PENNYBACKER, is this day, by mutual consent, dissolved. Mr. John Penny having other engagements that require his attention, has concluded to retire from the business. or thanks to our friends for

ral patronage shown us, and desire a continuance All persons indebted to us, are requested to make payment at as early a day as practicable to either partner, or to Messrs. Pennyuacken & Penny

the firm in settlement JOHN PERRY.

July 1st, 1859. J. S. PENNYBACKER.

O-PARTNERSHIP.— We, the undersigned, have this day associated ourselves under the name and style of PENNYBACKER & PERRY BUSINESS, upon the CASH SYSTEM, and have taken the house lately occupied by Messrs, Perry A Pennybacker, No. 17 King Street, where we will keep on hand a general assortment of prime GROCERIES. Also, FISH, SALT, PLASTER. Howard House, Baltimore. and other articles suited to the wants of Farmers and Mill owners. J. S. PENNYBACKER. WILLIAM PERRY.

JOSEPH PERRY.

Alexandria, Va., jy 1-1m merous designs and details for Public Edifices, Private Residences, and Mercantile Buildings, il-Instrated with 136 engravings, accompanied by Samuel Sloan, Architect, author of "The Model from the markets of the valley and mountain Architect," Ac., one large quarto volume, price \$12. adjacent to the Springs. Stabler's Hunter Life .- Fifty four years in the Lite of a Hunter, being Reminiscences of Meshack | mond and the lower country, will leave Alexandria Browning, a Maryland Hunter, roughly written down by himself, revised and illustrated by Ed

ward Stabler, of Sandy Spring. Maryland, \$1,25. Meet Enters, with some account of their haunts and habits, by the author of "Irish Amy," published by the American Sunday School Union Pac's Porms,-The Poetical Works of Edgar Gap Railroad. Alian Poe, with an original memoir, in blue and gold, 75c.

The Virginia Springs, and Springs of the South

and West, by J. J. Moorman, M. D., resident physician of the White Sulphur Springs, with maps will be made. and plates, and the routes and distances to the various Springs, \$1,25. The Mister, or Love and Liberty, by B. F. Pres-

burg, \$1,25.
The Three Ecus of a Woman's Life, a Novel, by Elizabeth Elton Smith, \$1. Just published, and for sale by [je 27] ROBERT BELL.

H ALF OF MY STORE FOR SALE. By way of relief from long and constant confinement to business, (nearly five years without intermision.) by which my health is suffering, I offer One | ford County, Va., or to D. G. Meade, Alexandria, Half of my Book and Music Store, (the only one of the kind in Alexandria,) to any industrious and reliable business man who will take an active part in the management of the concern, as an equa partner. By such an arrangement, I am persuad ed it can be made to conduce to the benefit of each, both in respect to health and pecuniary profit, winch will be explained and any other information given by application to me in person or by letter. given by approximately References exchanged.

JOHN H. PARROTT.

TREAT IMPROVEMENT-SELF GREAS J ING AXLES.-I would call the attention of site the Warrenton House. wagon builders and others, to this new and very useful improvement, by which the axles of heavy wagons may be greased without the trouble of re moving the wheels. Those interested would do well to examine-Also, just received turned and fitted skeins and boxes, with a further supply of the common lookes, making the stock very plete, and all of which are offered at the lowest rates. Remember this is the only house in Alexandria where these articles can be had.
GEORGE T. BALDWIN,

A few doors South of the Mansion House.

RESPECTIVLLY INFORM MY FRIENDS, I have taken the and the public, that I have take lately occupied by Whiting & Wright, and solicit the custom of all wanting a good, well ground, ar-ticle of PLAISTER OF PARIS.

PLAISTER GRINDING.

JOSIAH H. DAVIS, No. 16, Union-st., je 23—com\* Next door to B. H. Lambert's. WILDREN'S CARRIAGES, PERAMBULA. TORS, and VELOCIPEDES.—In order to close out my stock of the above goods, I will sell them at cost for cash. W. B. RICHARDS, JR., 110 King-street.

WIRE DISH COVERS, round and oblong, all the sizes, for sale by JOHN OGDEN.

AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ES TATE. - The undersigned as Executer under the will of the late Wm. Carr. dee'd., will sell without reserve, on the premises, on S day of Angast, 1859, that valuable FARM, now in the occupancy of Levi Nixon, containing about THREE HUNDRED AND TWELVE ACRES OF LAND, seventy of which are in timber. San farm located within three miles of Leesburg, and contiguous to the Alexandria, Londoun and linear shire Railroad, and adjoining the lands of D. Car-S. Carr, and C. Higdon. The improvements com-

becessary buildings. The land is of good quality abounds in numerous springs, and has curning water in every field. This is one of the most de sirable tarms, between the Hog Back and Catoctin TERMS OF SALE .- One third cash, on or before

annual payments—the defered payments to be interest from the 1st of September next, when posession will be given for seeding. A deed will be given on the receipt of the first payment, and a payments.

Will be sold at the same time and place, a lot a TWO AND A HALF ACRES, improved by a STONE BUILDING, subject to an eneum

brance made known on the day of sale. Sale to commence about 10 o'clock, A. M. D. CARR, Executor

Londona sounty, jy 6-wts BY T. M. MCCORMICK. - AUCTIONEUR.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF DWELLING HOUSE AND LOT, IN ALEXANDRIA, VA Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria County, Va., rendered on the 25th day of May, 1859, in the suit of James A. English v. McVeigh et. al., the subscribers, as Commissioners of said Court, will offer for sale, at Public Auction in front of the Mayor's Office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock, M., on SATTEDA) the 6th day of August next, the DWELLING HOUSE AND LOT, in said city, wherein the said English now resides, situated on the north side of King street, between Alfred and Patrick streets, beginning 24 feet from the east side of Pat rick street, and running east on King street 25 feet thence north, parallel to Patrick street, 120 feet

thence west, parallel to King street, 25 feet; thence in a straight line to the beginning. TERMS. Ten per centum of the purchase money to be paid in cash; the balance in three equal in stalments, at 6, 12, and 18 months from the sale, for which the purchaser is to give his bend bearing interest, with good personal scennity, and

GEORGE W. BRENT. S. FERGUSON BEACH. | of Sale

BY JAS. C. MCGUIRE & CO., AUCTIONEERS. TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A SMALL TRACT OF LAND IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VA. -On Friday afternoon, July 8th, at 5 o'clock, on the premises, I shall sell, by virtue of a deed in trust to the subscriber, dated June 19th, 1856, and duly recorded in liber R., No. S, page 487, on rot the land records for Alexandria county, Virginia,

to Georgetown Ferry, distant about two miles from the Aqueduct, and about half a mile beyond the farm of the late Andrew Hoover. Terms: One-third cash: the residue in six and twelve mouths, with interest, secured by

trust on the premises. All conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

ANDREW P. HOOVER, Trustee.

Washington, je 8-2awtds BATH ALUM SPRINGS, VA. 10 Miles from Milboro' Depot, Va. C. R. R H AVING taken charge of this establishment, I am prepared to accommodate boarders in a degree of solid comfort that I think will not be surpassed in the mountains, this season. My experience in the management of the O/d Sweet Sp

and more recently the Washington House, Lynch-burg, may afford some guaranty to the public of my disposition to please my guests.

The Bath Alum is admirably constructed and equipped- is in an elevated region, at the eastern of the Warm Spring mountain, enjoying an atmosphere unsurpassed for salubrity, and h a variety of mineral waters, alum and chalybeate as excellent in their kind as any others in State, and the purest mountain freestone.

TERMS: Per day, \$2; per week, \$10; per month of four Excellent music from a New York band provi

On these terms, and with a determination them, full to the last day of the season. Bath county, je 16-2awlm CAPON SPRINGS, Hampshire County, Va. THE subscribers would respectfully inform their friends and the public, that they have leased

the above well known WATERING PLACE, this lease embracing the MOUNTAIN HOUSE, WADDLE BUILDINGS, &c.,) and will open for the reception of visitors on the 20th of June. In A daily mail, and a telegraph office within 23

miles of the place.

Circulars or other information can be had by addressing us as above, or J. N. BUCK, esq., of J. C. WADDLE, Proprietors.

J. B. SMITH. | Pro Hampshire County, my 4—eo3m\* WARREN WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, N EW BOOKS.—Slow's New Architect.—City tain retreat was opened on the 18th of May, and Suburban Architecture, containing nuvantages for obtaining the best provisions and del Alexandria markets, such as Crabs, Turtles, Fish, specifications and historical and explanatory texts, etc., besides supplies of Mutton, Wild Honey, etc.,

> Passengers from Baltimore, Washington, Rich in the morning, and reach Buckton Station by the Manassas Gap Railroad, at 12 o'clock the same day. Comfortable coaches will be in readiness to convey visitors to the Springs from Buckton-diapub-tance one mile. From Staunton and Winchester , 75c. a daily line of coachos connect with the Manussas

TERMS: Board, first week \$9; second \$8; third \$7. One month \$28. Children and servants half the above price. To families or parties engaging board for several persons, a reasonable deduc-

Mrs. R. Pritchart will have the principal man agement and control, aided by competent male as istants in every department. Francis G. Fox will be superintendent. WANTED.—A situation as TEACHER, by a

W young lady of Virginia, in a private family, to give instruction in the Elementary branches of the English Language, Satisfactory references will be given by address ing T. J. Skinker, at Hartwood Post Office, Staf

Virginia. J. W. McGEE, DOCTOR OF DENTAL SURGERY, WARRENTON, VA,

Os 113 the Bental profession in the most satisfactory manner, at moderate rates.

Doctor Medice may be found at home at any time, except from the second to the third Monday in each month, which time will be spent at Flint Hill, Rap pahannock County, Va.
Office and residence on Main street, nearly oppo

Warrenton, ian 1-eoly STORE AND TAVERN STAND FOR SALE OR RENT, at italley's Cross Roads, at the intersection of the Columbia and Middle Turn pike, five miles from Alexandria-also a Wheel

wright and Smith Shop, with an extensive run of custom—also a small FARM near the Cross Roads, with a new and convenient DWELLING. Address the subscriber, at Washington city, or inquire on the premises. LEWIS BAILEY.
Fairfax county, dec 16 - corf OTICE. The subscribers have formed a CO-PARTNERSHIP under the firm of J. R. &

R. H. BUNTON, for the purpose of manufactur-ing WOOLEN GOODS, at Buckland, Prince Wilham County, Va.

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A NEW ARRIVAL.—10 dozen TRUNKS, of every description, for sale at No. 141, King attact.

[dec 24] W. P. PADGECT

TIAR. North Carolina Tar and Pitch, for sale by | je 20; J. N. HARPER & CO JOHN MURPHY, ATTORNEY AT LAW will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland. Richmond, and Northumberland Counties. Post Office, Rice's Store, Westmoreland County, Va.

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